(6) THE BHAVANI RESERVOIR IRRIGATION CESS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1952.[a]

* THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Sir, I beg to introduce the Bhavani Reservoir Irrigation Cess (Amendment) Bill, 1952 and move—

' *That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the following Members and that leave of the House be granted under rule 81 for the Select Committee to consist of more than fifteen persons :—*

1. *The Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker.*
2. *,, C. Subramaniam.*
3. *Sri K. Rajaram.*
4. *,, P. S. Rangasamy Naidu.*
5. *,, P. G. Karuthiruman.*
6. *,, B. K. Nallasamy.*
7. *,, M. R. Ramachandran.*
8. *,, G. Vagheesam Pillai.*
9. *,, P. M. Muniswamy Gounder.*
10. *,, S. Arumugam.*
11. *,, V. S. Sivaprakasam.*
12. *,, N. C. Ramasamy Kander.*
13. *,, S. Pakkirisami Pillai.*
14. *,, M. Muni Reddi.*
15. *,, K. S. Lakshmipathy Naicker.*
16. *,, K. T. Raju.*
17. *,, C. Kandaswami.*
18. *,, N. K. Palaniswami.*
19. *,, P. Ramamurthi.*
20. *,, A. Senapathi Goundar.*
21. *,, P. Kandasamy Gounder.*
22. *,, E. L. Raghava Mudaliar.*
23. *,, S. Kandaswami Gounder.*
24. *,, M. Dharmalingam.*
25. *,, Mookiah Thevar.*

" Sir, I do not propose to say anything in detail about this Bill because this is about a project that is about to be finished and every one knows why this levy is proposed. I simply move the motion."

MR. SPEAKER :—" The motion is—

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"The hon. Member Sri K. T. Raju who has given notice of an amendment to this motion is not here. I am going to put the motion to the vote of the House."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, we oppose this Bill also but as in the case of other Bills we have agreed to let this Bill be referred to the Select Committee."

* SRI K. VINAYAKAM :—" Sir, as this Bill concerns the people of Coimbatore I thought Members representing that district would be put on the Select Committee. On the other hand I find some who may not have any interest in the project are put in the Committee to satisfy party interest, and Members interested in the project have been left out."

SRI K. RAJARAM :—" It is not so, Sir. Coimbatore is well represented."

* SRI K. VINAYAKAM :—" Sir, I submit that Coimbatore might have been properly represented when compared to the representation given to other districts in the State. I believe that is what the hon. Member Sri Rajaram says. That I don't dispute. But what I say is, there are members coming from Coimbatore district who ought to have been chosen for the Committee because it is only they that can give proper and profitable service to the Committee. They have not been chosen. That is my submission."

5-50 p.m. * THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Sir, the hon. Member has just now come into the House and he has not posted himself with what took place here. This list was prepared after consulting the Leaders of Parties."

MR. SPEAKER :—" The question is—

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The motion was carried.

MR. SPEAKER :—" I appoint the Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker to be the Chairman of the Committee."